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State Historical Society

James N. Price Dies at Camp Mills, N. Y.

Monday Mrs. Bell V. Price received a telegram stating that her son, James N. Price, was critically ill with pneumonia at Camp Mills, N. Y. Wednesday a telegram came announcing his death.

Mr. Price had been employed in the shipyards at Los Angeles, Cal., until about two weeks ago when he joined an army band was sent immediately to Camp Mills. He was an accomplished trombone player. His wife who was living in Los Angeles, started east when she heard of her husband's illness, but was intercepted at Kansas City when the word came that he was dead. Mrs. Price then came to Lexington to wait the arrival of his body.

Mr. Price was born in this city November 20, 1883. Besides his wife and mother he is survived by three brothers and two sisters: John J. Price of this city; Rev. Ben Price, Canton, Ohio; Ed C. Price, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. C. C. Knipe, Albany, Mo., and Mrs. Ray Thompson of Lexington.

He's Now Capt. Mac Sellers.

Capt. M. C. Chambers U. S. Marine Corps, who is spending his honeymoon here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Chambers, says that Lieut. Mac Sellers also of the Marine Corps, has been promoted to captain. "Mac," then lieutenant, was severely wounded in the battle where the Huns were put on the toboggan, that of Chateau Thierry. Col. Sellers' three sons now hold the rank of captain, and all three are at the front in France.

Higginsville Boys Injured.

Perry Young sustained a fractured skull and T. H. McKay severe bruises when the motor truck which they were driving collided with a street car in Kansas City Monday night. Young was taken to the General hospital in a serious condition.

The body of Marvin P. Fisher, who died at Fort Riley, Kansas, was brought home Saturday. The funeral was held in the afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Robt. L. Cowan conducted the services.

Isaac Hays Died This Morning.

Isaac Hays, a highly respected citizen of this city, died this morning at 10 o'clock at his home, 760 Highland. He had been in failing health for some time, but had been confined to his bed for the past three weeks.

Mr. Hays was the son of the late James and Sarah Hays, and was born in this city February 23, 1852. The greater part of his life had been spent in Lexington and during the past several years he had conducted a branch store for the Sweet Springs Milling Company.

Mr. Hays is survived by two sisters and three brothers: Mrs. R. F. Norfolk and Miss Lucy Hays, this city; R. Sam Hays, Sweet Springs; Charles R. Hays, Canada, and Ernest C. Hays, Waco, Texas.

The funeral conducted by Rev. J. E. Alexander and the Masonic Lodge, was held Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Hon. Sam C. Major, Democratic candidate for representative in congress for this district, was a visitor in town this week. Mr. Major's home is in Howard county, the county whose majority makes this district "safe for Democracy."

Death of Charles Schaffer.

Chas. Schaffer, age 87 years, died Sunday morning at 6 o'clock at his home in Water Tower Hill. Mr. Schaffer was a native of Germany. He is survived by his wife. Mr. Schaffer was a familiar figure on the street of Lexington, having peddled gaiter truck for many years.

Harvey Mavel Injured.

Saturday afternoon, Harvey Mavel, who works in the McGrew mines was quite painfully injured when a mule he was driving ran away. His injuries consists of bruises and cut about the body.

Lafayette county was credited with having the most consistent and reliable representative in the last General Assembly—H. W. McNeel—a courteous, high-minded, intelligent and patriotic citizen. Let's make no mistake. He should be returned by a handsome majority.

W. G. McCausland Injured.

W. G. McCausland was quite seriously injured Tuesday morning about 11 o'clock when he fell down the flight of stairs in the McGrew building leading down from Dr. Cope's office. His injuries consist of a deep cut across the forehead, and one below the left ear, and bruises about the body.

He was removed to his store where medical attention was given him, and later removed to his home. He is reported to be resting comfortably, and although his injuries are serious, his recovery is expected.

Mr. McCausland is nearly 90 years of age.

Death of Mrs. Edith Sellon.

Mrs. Edith Sellon, wife of Milo Sellon, died Saturday afternoon at 3:55 o'clock at her home in Kansas City, Kansas, death being due to pneumonia.

Mrs. Sellon was born in Ray county, May 7, 1888, and was thirty years of age. She is survived by her husband and two children, Elizabeth and George, her mother and one sister. The body was brought to Lexington Sunday evening and taken to the home of her sister-in-law, Minerva Woolfey.

The funeral service conducted by Rev. Baxter Waters, was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Death of Martin C. Shipman.

Martin Calvin Shipman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Williams Shipman, 223 Southwest Boulevard, died Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock after a week's illness of pneumonia. He was employed on a government boat doing work near Woolbridge, Mo., when taken ill.

Mr. Shipman was born in Saline county, February 23, 1897. Besides his parents, he is survived by one brother, William, and one sister, Miss Daisy, living at home.

The funeral was held at the home Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Robt. L. Cowan conducted the services.

Urgent Call For Knitters.

Lafayette Chapter, American Red Cross has received a call from headquarters for 400 Sweaters and 1866 pairs of socks to be completed before December 1, 1918. Knitters are badly needed to complete this quota. The time allotted is necessarily very short, but the Southwest division is urging each chapter to make a special effort to complete its quota, as the call for the garments is more than urgent. It is a call of distress. Call Mrs. F. M. Summers, McCull's Piano Store, for yarn and instructions.

Notice to Bond Holders Against City of Lexington.

All persons holding bonds against City of Lexington, issued by a vote of the people during the last general city election, are hereby notified that the interest is due and Coupon 1 attached to said bonds. The same can be redeemed at the Traders Bank on or after November 1, 1918. Bondholder present their bonds with coupon attached.

Louis Minor, Mayor.
G. C. Wright, Clerk.

Mrs. C. T. Ryland left this morning for Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., to join her husband, Lieut. C. T. Ryland, who is in the Medical Corps.

WAVERLY ITEMS.

Mrs. Hugh Neer of Liberal, Kansas, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wood McGrew.

Mrs. George Looney of Carroll county, spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Johnson, who is very sick.

W. L. Mitchell of Odessa, spent several days last week with his son, W. R. Mitchell, and wife.

Sam Jones returned Saturday from Camp Bowie, Texas, where he received a discharge from the army.

Orpheus Cook of Camp Funston, was called here last week to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Willis Cook, who has been very sick for several months.

Mrs. William R. Byars and children of Kansas City, Kansas, arrived last Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ledford.

Ether Yowell arrived Friday evening from Jefferson Barracks to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yowell.

Clay Landrum moved the household goods of Arthur Robertson to Kansas City last Friday.

Dr. O'Byrant returned Monday from Mexico, where he spent a few days with his family.

Dr. Richard of Blackburn and Dr. Hoemer of Alma, visited the sick here during his absence.

Mrs. John Kelley and sons, Roland and Irvin of Burke, Idaho, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guenther.

Mrs. William Harland died at her home near Hodge early Saturday morning. She is survived by her husband and three sons and two daughters. The remains were brought here Monday for burial. A short service was conducted at the grave-side by Rev. Ailor.

Julius Peters died suddenly of heart failure Monday afternoon, at his home in this city. He is survived by his wife and one daughter, Miss Hortense and one son, Ernest, who is with the army in France. Funeral services were conducted at the home by Rev. W. L. Robb Wednesday morning. Burial was in the Waverly cemetery.

Dr. Mason C. Alderman of Kansas City, was called here Wednesday to see Dr. George A. Kelling who has been seriously ill following an attack of influenza.

Death of a Young Boy.

John Leonard Baldwin, one year old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Baldwin, died Thursday night at 11:15 o'clock at the home 109 South 24th Street. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Call For 25 White Men.

The local board has received orders to entrain twenty-five white men for Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas, Monday, November 11.

Orders to send two colored men to Camp Funston November 19, has also been received.

Sarat Wiley of the U. S. Naval hospital corps Norfolk, Va., arrived Wednesday night for a week's visit with his parents, Capt. and Mrs. B. T. Wiley.

Why not begin that business, telegraph or civil service course at the Chillicothe Business College next week? You may attend on credit and then pay out of your salary, some work their way through.

WARNING!

At the coming election the single tax amendment will again be put before the voters. If this amendment becomes a law all personal property will be exempt from taxation. It will mean that the farmers will have to pay about one-third more taxes. It is a miserable attempt on the part of organized capital and labor to put one over on the unorganized landowners. It is an alarming argument that the farmers ought to organize and gladly pay the little annual membership dues.

Six years ago this amendment was overwhelmingly defeated but the advocates of the amendment are making redoubled efforts to win and there is grave danger that they will win. If the farmers of this state were organized like they ought to be they could easily defeat this amendment but it is a sad fact they are not. We therefore advise all landowners, and other fairminded citizens who are willing to bear their share of the taxes, to vote no on this amendment. No. 8 Don't neglect to go for it will be a close race and one vote may decide it.

LAFAYETTE CO. FARMERS ASSOCIATION

The voting place in East Lexington this year will be in the Old Mill, instead of the old engine house, as formerly.

Circuit Court.

Judge Samuel Davis held a brief adjourned session of circuit court Monday, and again adjourned court until November 27, at which time Judge Fred Lamb of Salisbury, Mo., will preside during part of the session. Among the cases he will try is that of Motimer M. Grant vs. The School of the Ozarks, et al.

The following were granted divorces:

Richard Pollard from Mamie Pollard.

Gertie Rogers from Louis Rogers.

Mary Simmerman from John S. Simmerman.

Nettie Rust from Edward Rust.

Death of a Young Boy.

The two-year old son of Aaron Brooks died last night at the home, 711 Main Street. Death was due to pneumonia. The body will be taken to Lincoln, Mo., for burial.

Death of Leonard Ryland.

Word was received here this morning of the death of Leonard Ryland yesterday afternoon at his home, Rexburg, Idaho. The body will be brought here for burial and will probably reach here Monday.

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